

Fig. 1A

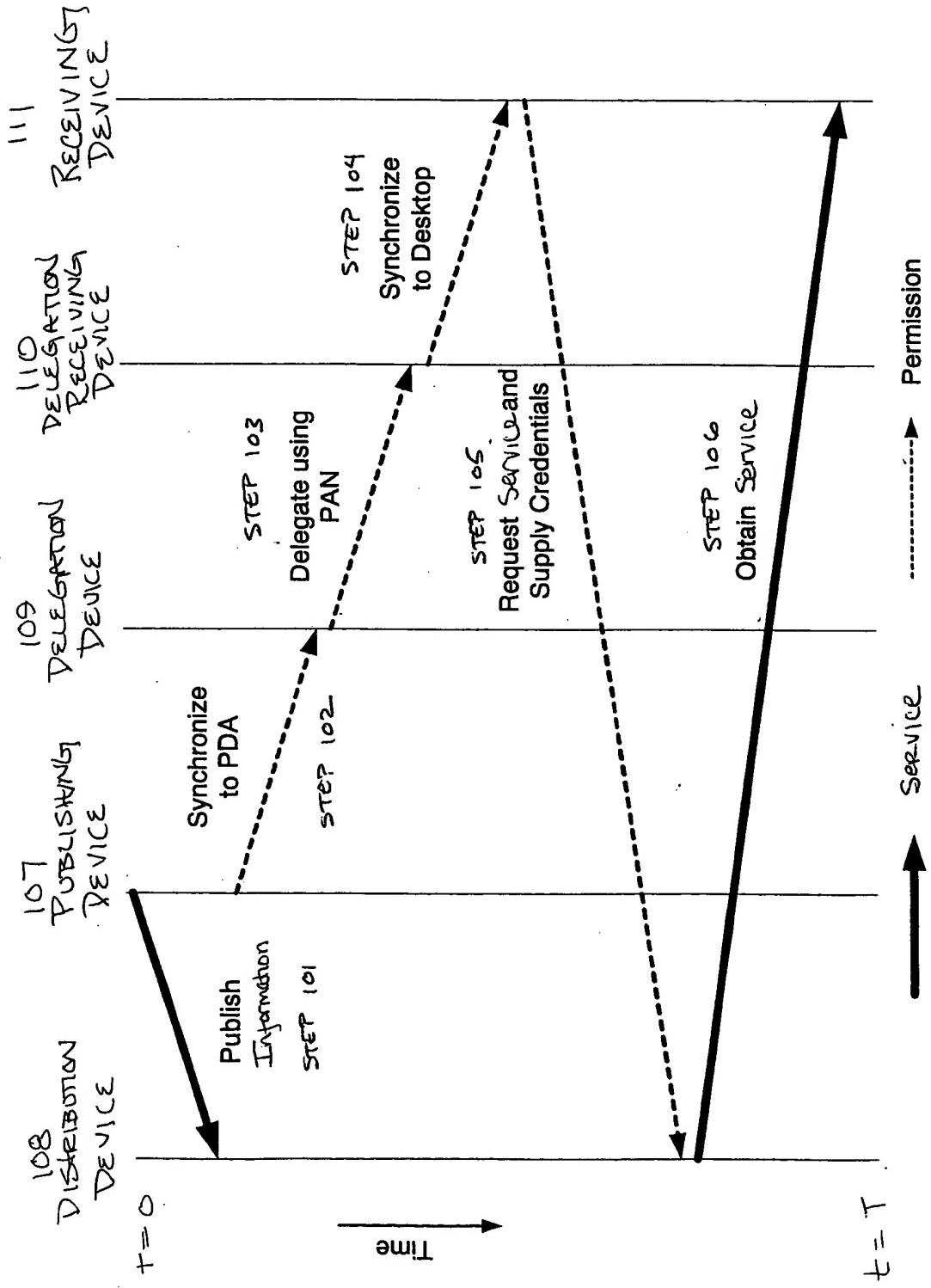
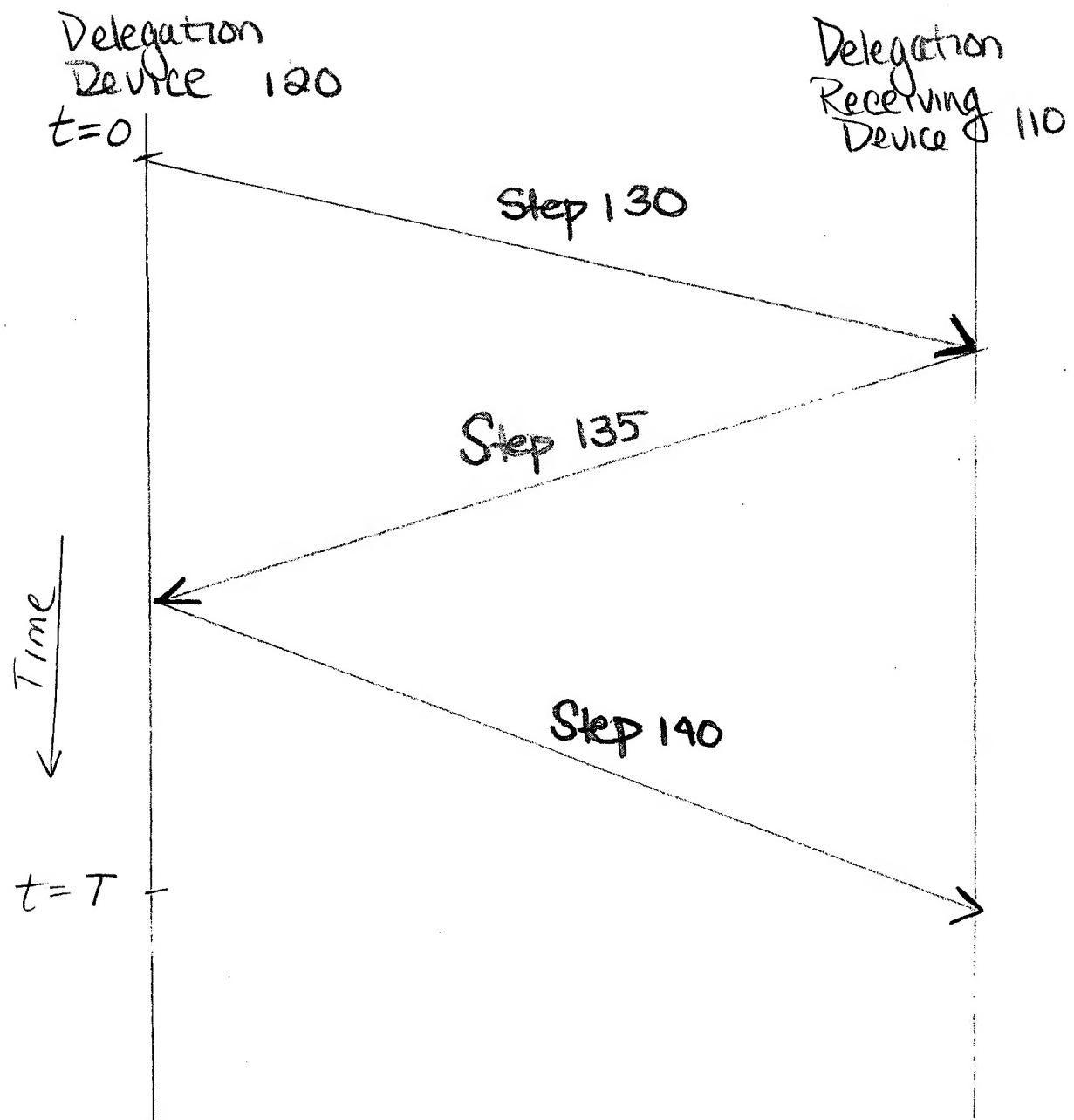


FIG. 1B



Data Structure Definitions in ASN.1

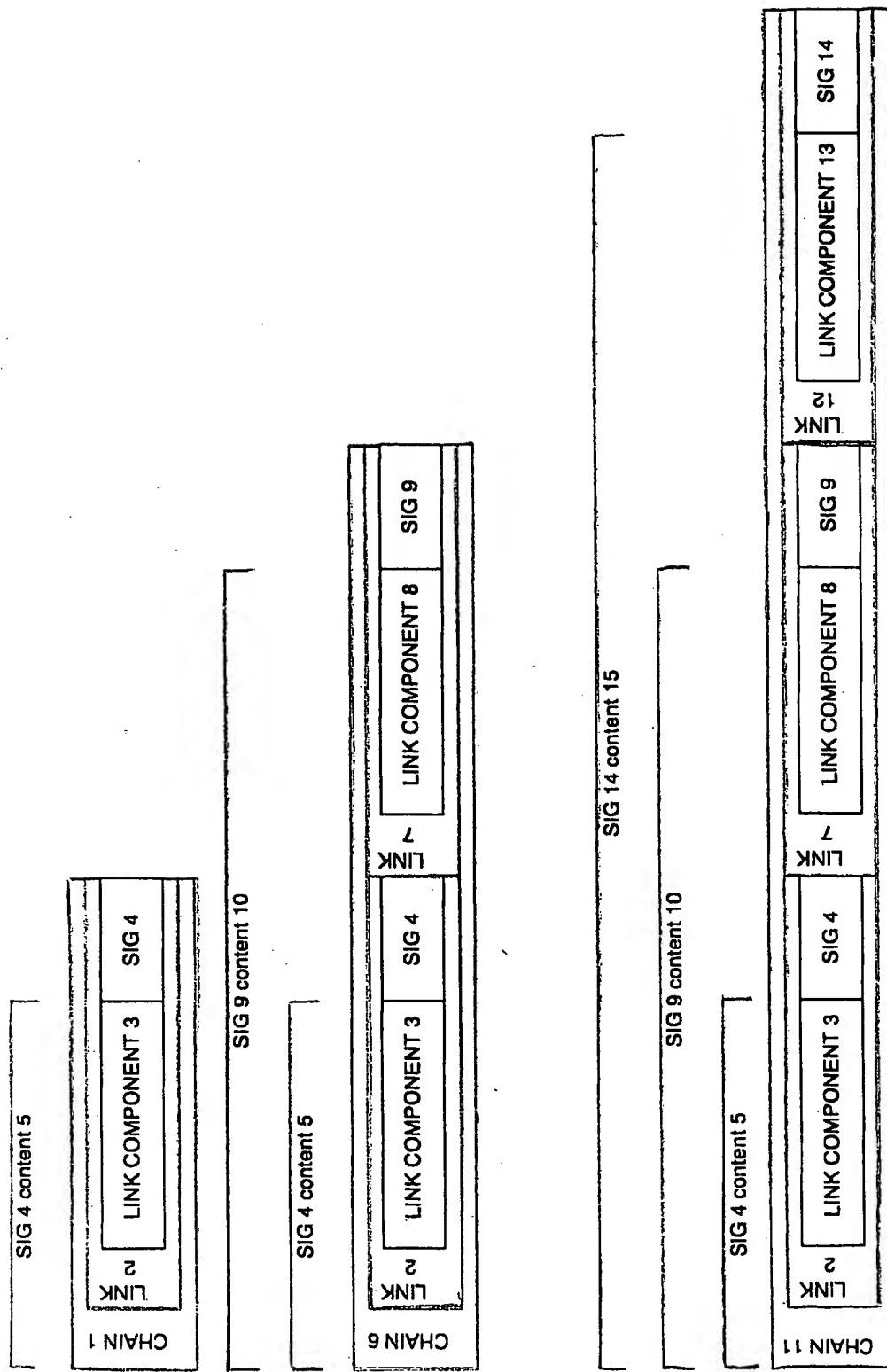
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    permissionLinkComponent permissionLinkComponent,
    Signature OCTET STRING
}

permissionLinkComponent ::= SEQUENCE {
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    Uri OCTET STRING,
    Description OCTET STRING,
    Note OCTET STRING,
    Version INTEGER,
    Src_p INTEGER,
    Src_q INTEGER,
    Src_g INTEGER,
    Src_pub INTEGER,
    Src_x509cert OCTET STRING,
    Src_email OCTET STRING,
    Subj_p INTEGER,
    Subj_q INTEGER,
    Subj_g INTEGER,
    Subj_pub INTEGER,
    Subj_x509cert OCTET STRING,
    Subj_email OCTET STRING,
    Delegate BOOLEAN,
    Read BOOLEAN,
    Write BOOLEAN,
    validFrom GeneralizedTime,
    validTo GeneralizedTime
}
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FIG. 1C

Fig. 1D



System Overview

FIG.2A

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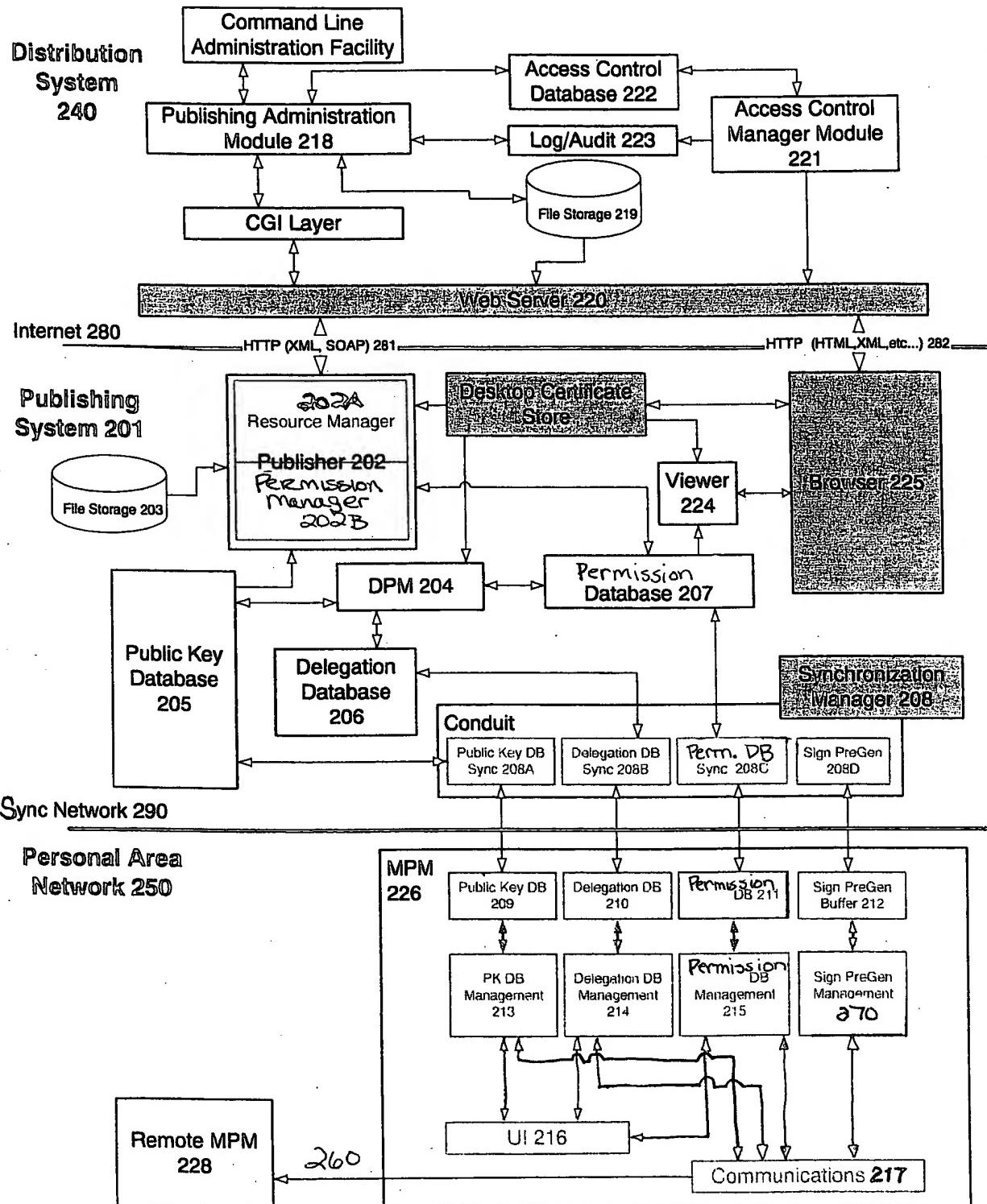
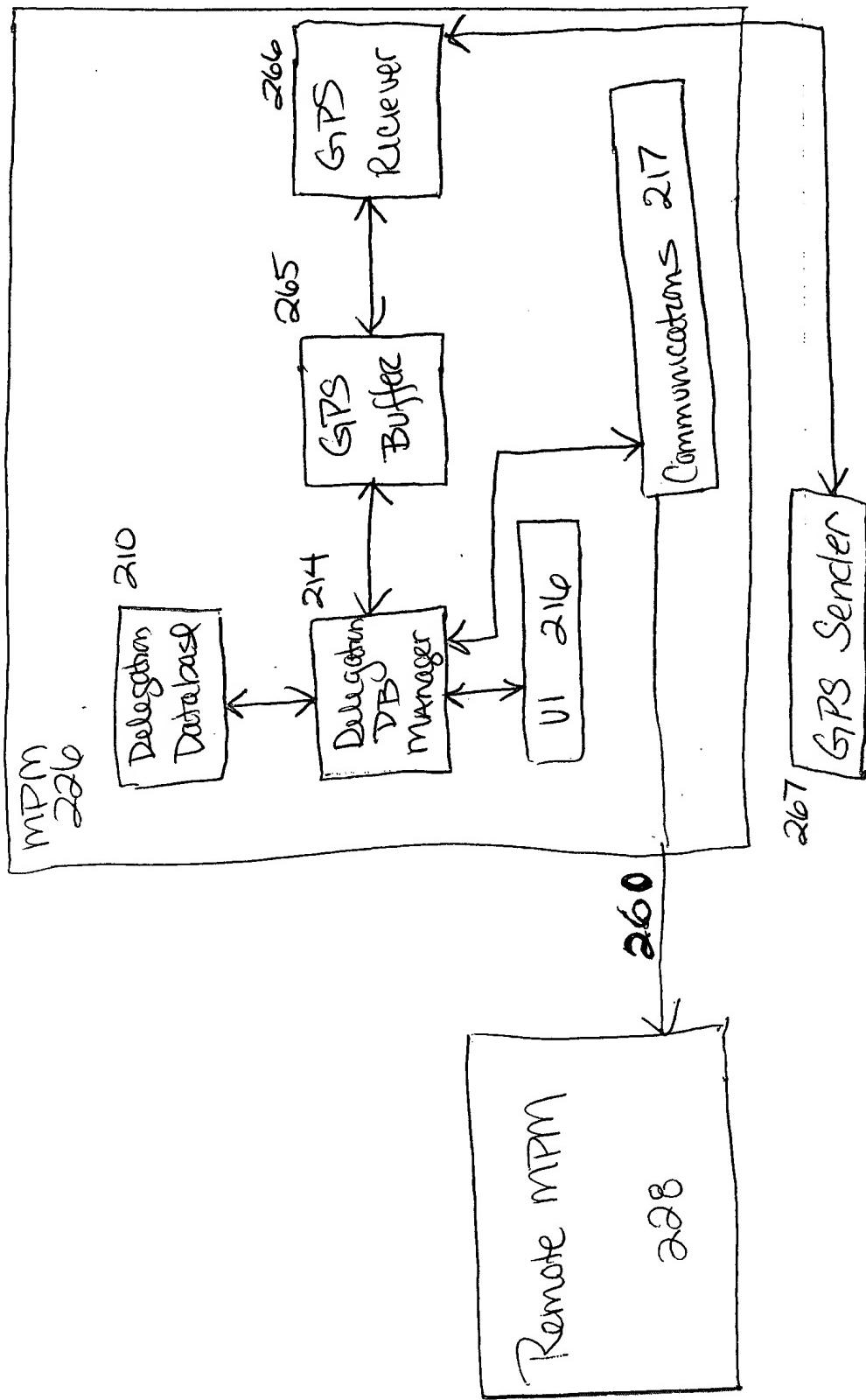
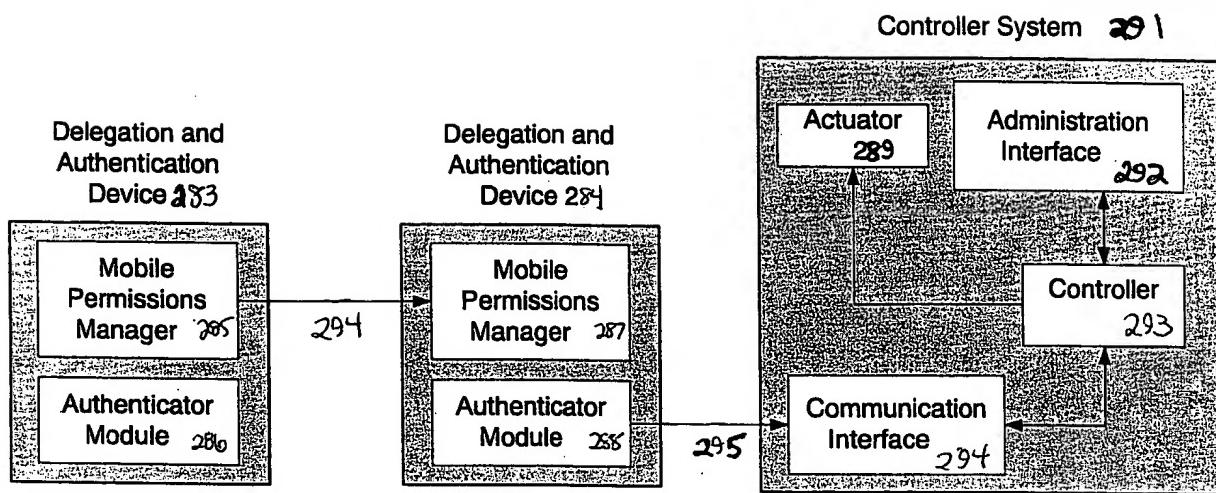


FIG. 2B



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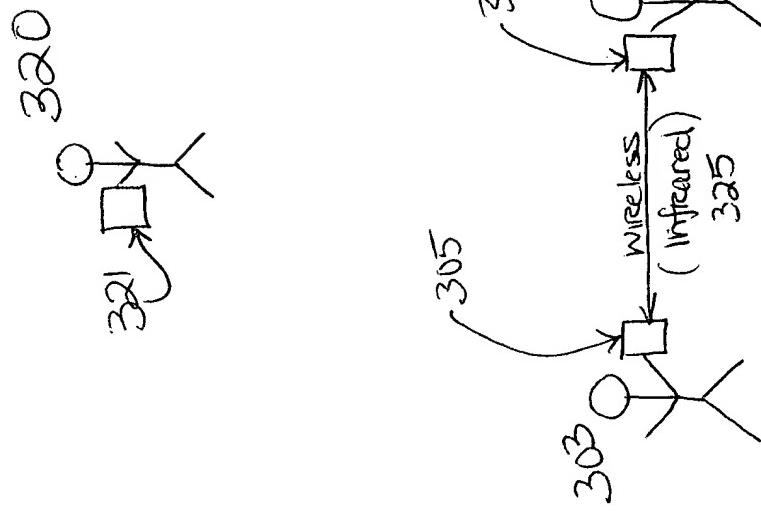


Fig. 3A

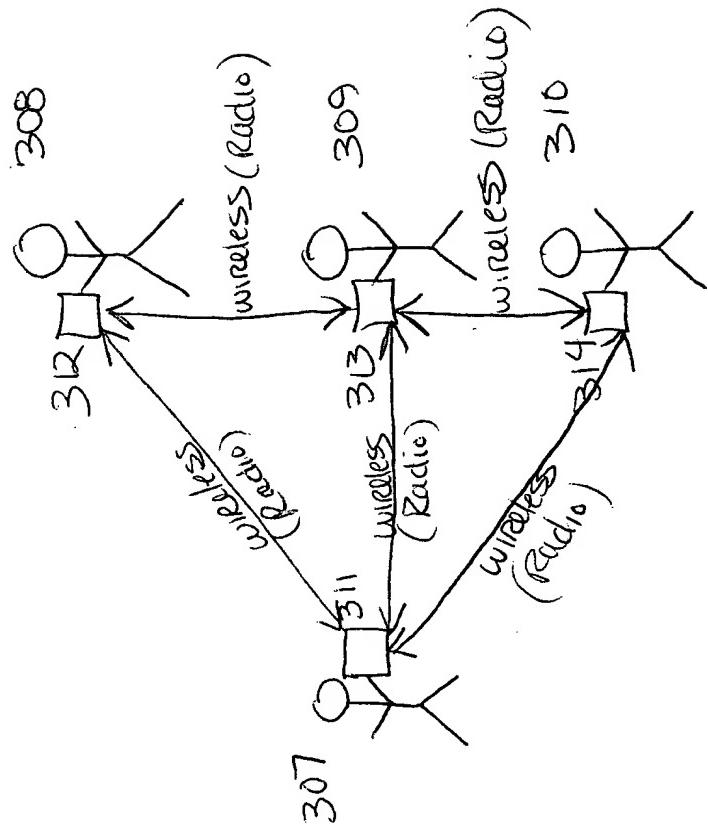


Fig. 3B

Fig. 4

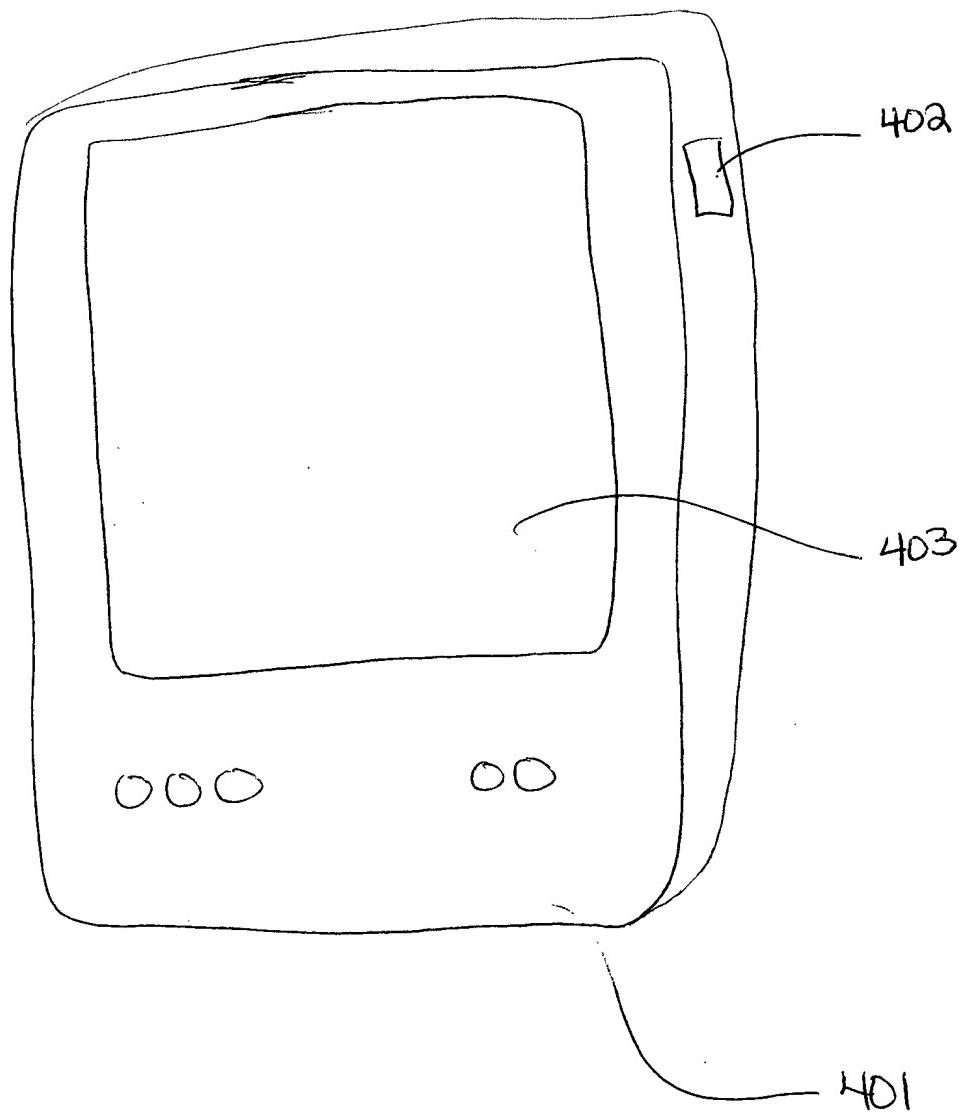
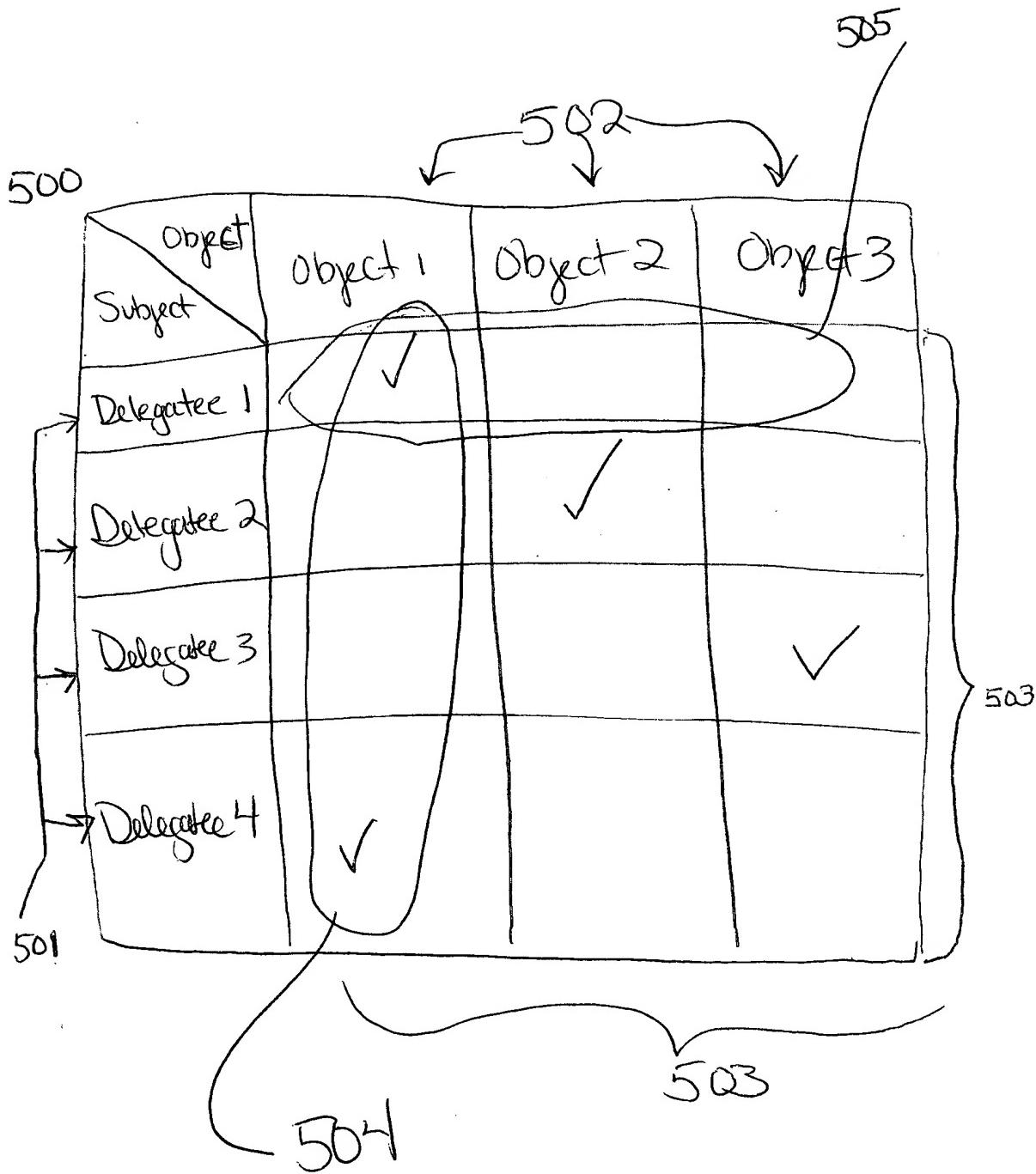
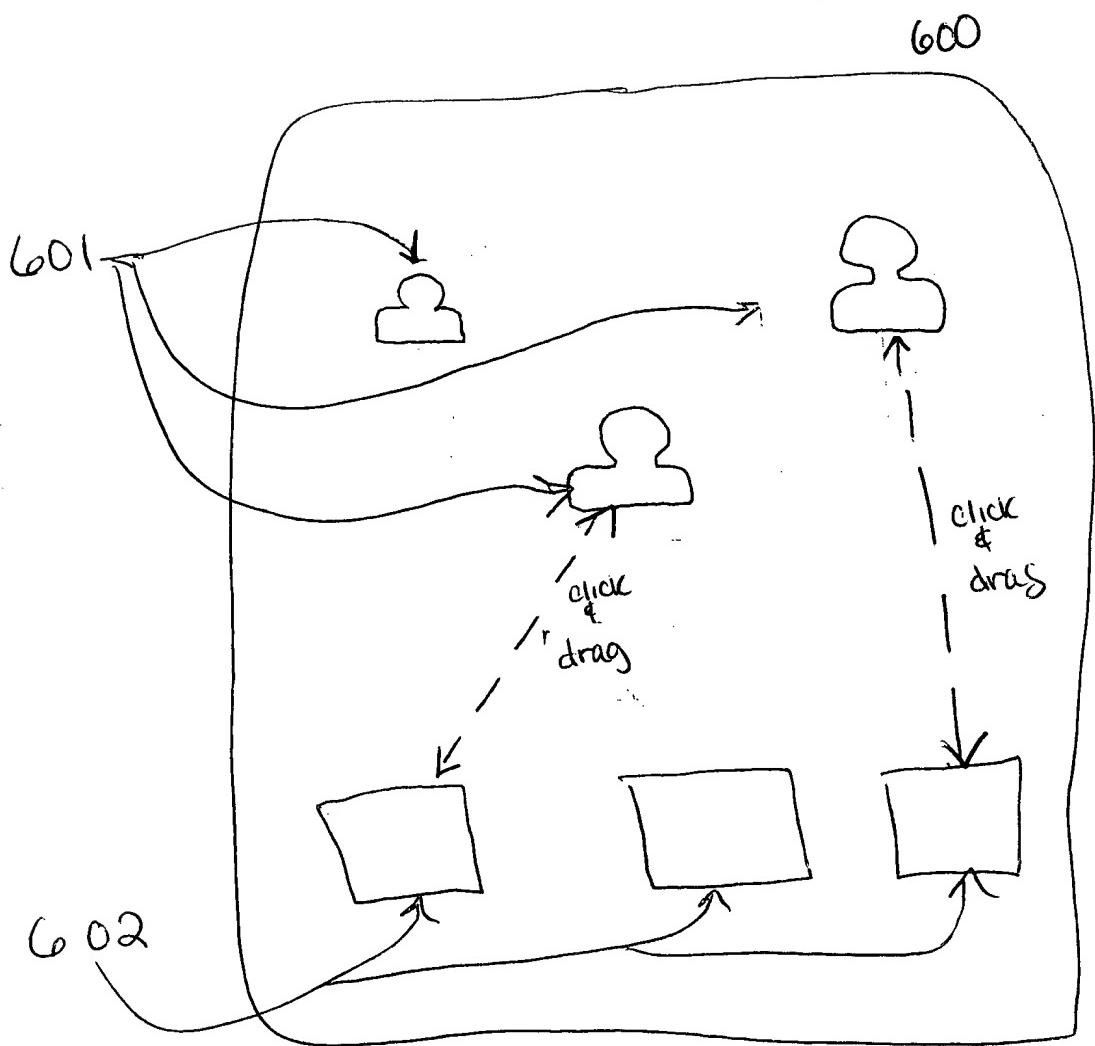


FIG. 5



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Sending Permission as part of a header within an HTTP request.
(see <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2616.txt>).

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GET /resource/ HTTP/1.1
Accept: image/gif, image/x-bitmap, image/jpeg, image/pjpeg,
application/vnd.ms-powerpoint, application/vnd.ms-excel,
application/msword, */
Accept-Language: en-us
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.01; Windows NT 5.0)
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...
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Fig. 7.

Sending the permission as part of a "cookie" within an HTTP request
(see <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2616.txt> and <http://www.ietf.org/rfc/rfc2109.txt>).

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GET /resource/ HTTP/1.1
Accept: image/gif, image/x-bitmap, image/jpeg, image/pjpeg,
application/vnd.ms-powerpoint, application/vnd.ms-excel,
application/msword, */
Accept-Language: en-us
Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate
User-Agent: Mozilla/4.0 (compatible; MSIE 5.01; Windows NT 5.0)
Cookie: Vchain=50U+F61o1MMJzRmZs6QNRhx1UE3artX4ax56AJdJxYR7dzyPNg1g+cw
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FIG. 8

Sending the permission as part of a URL

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Fig. 10

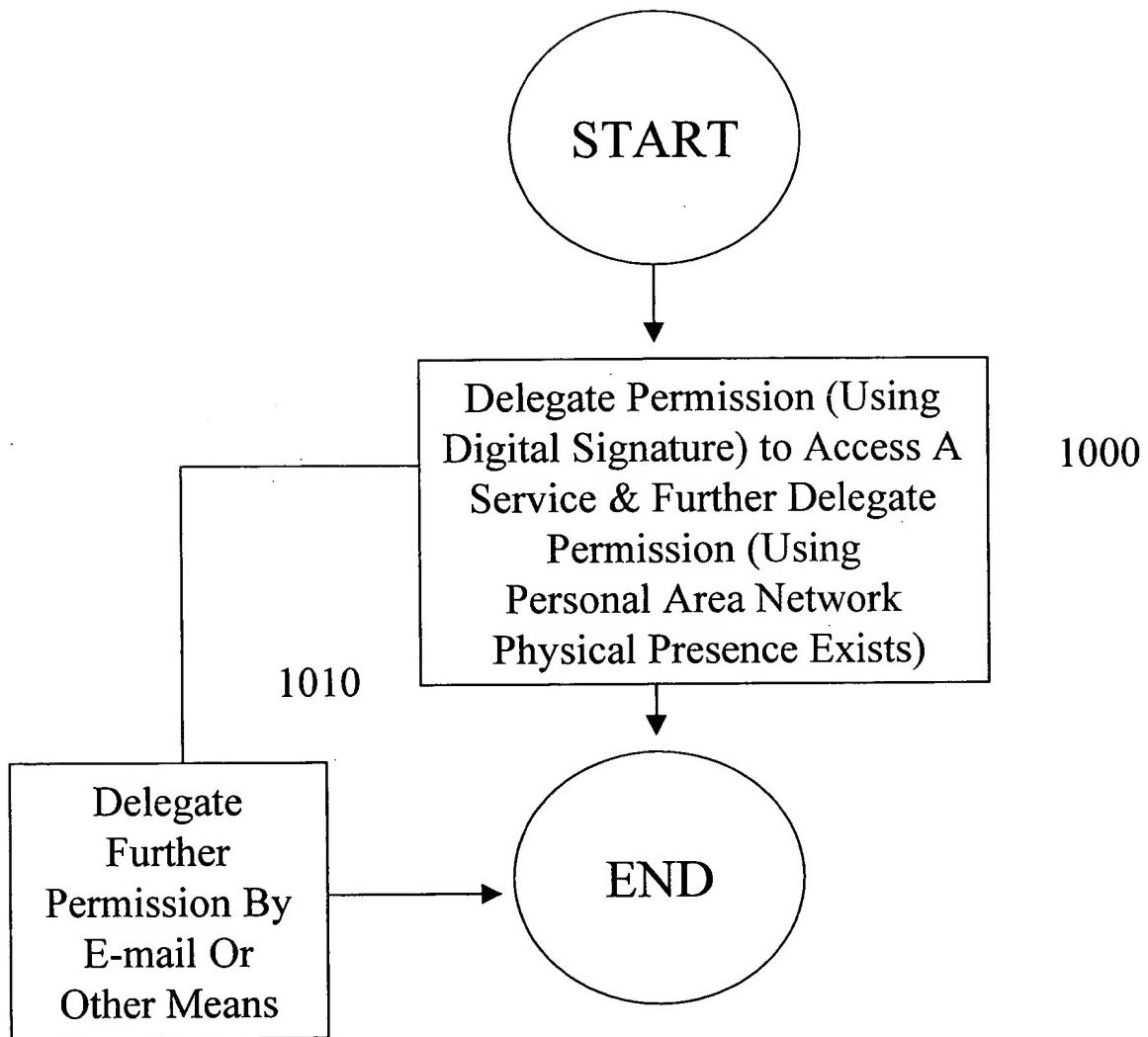


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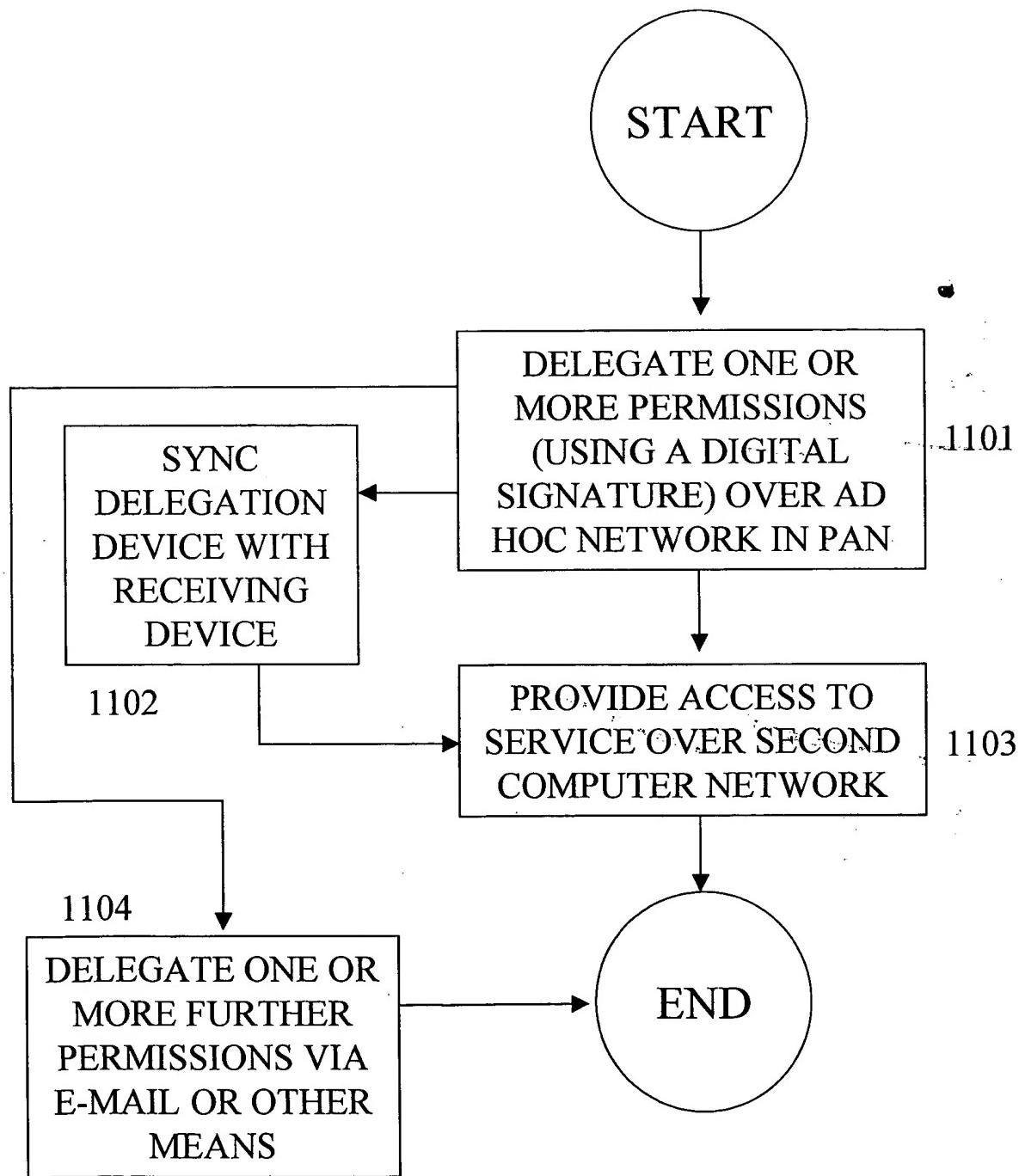


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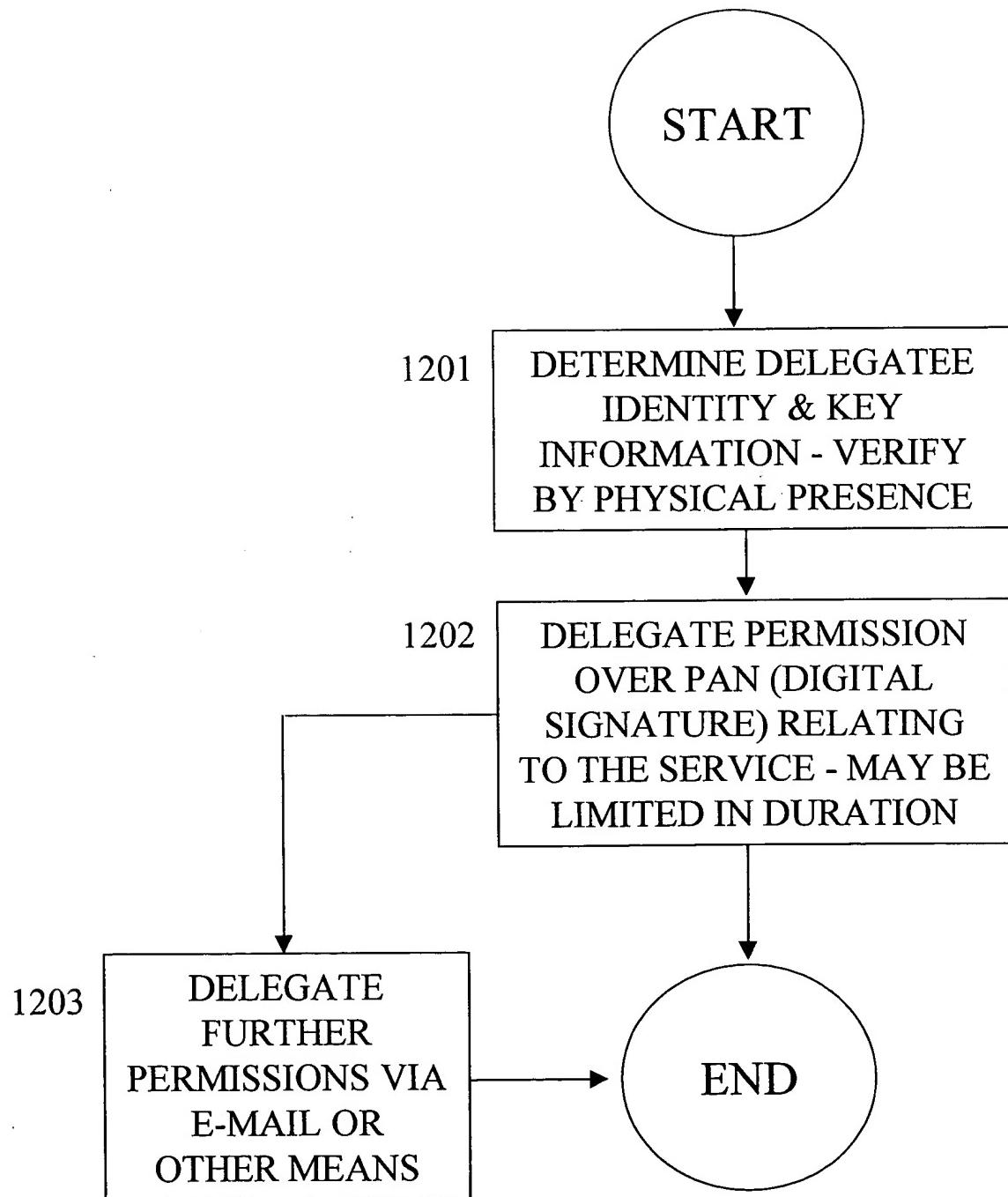


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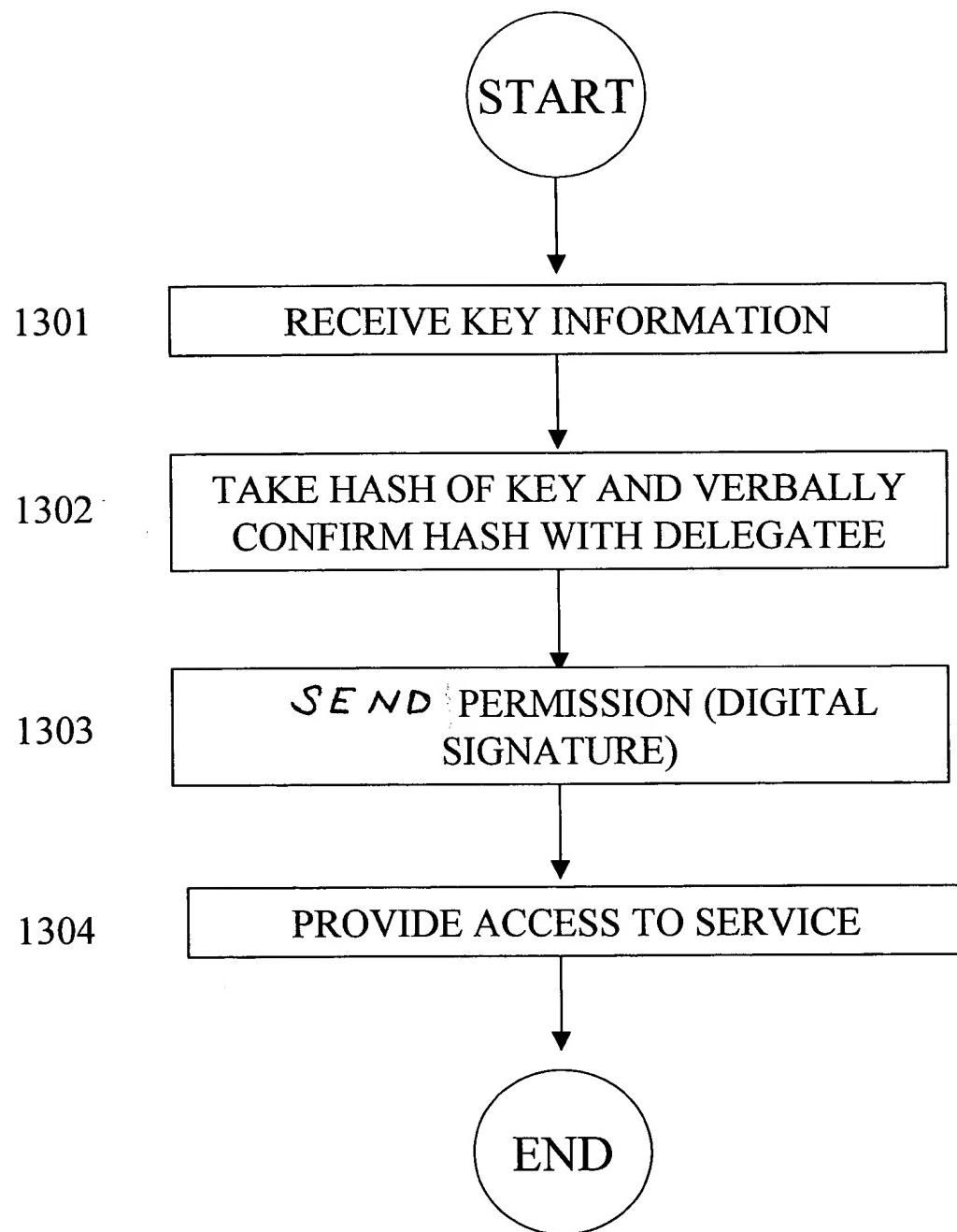


Fig. 14

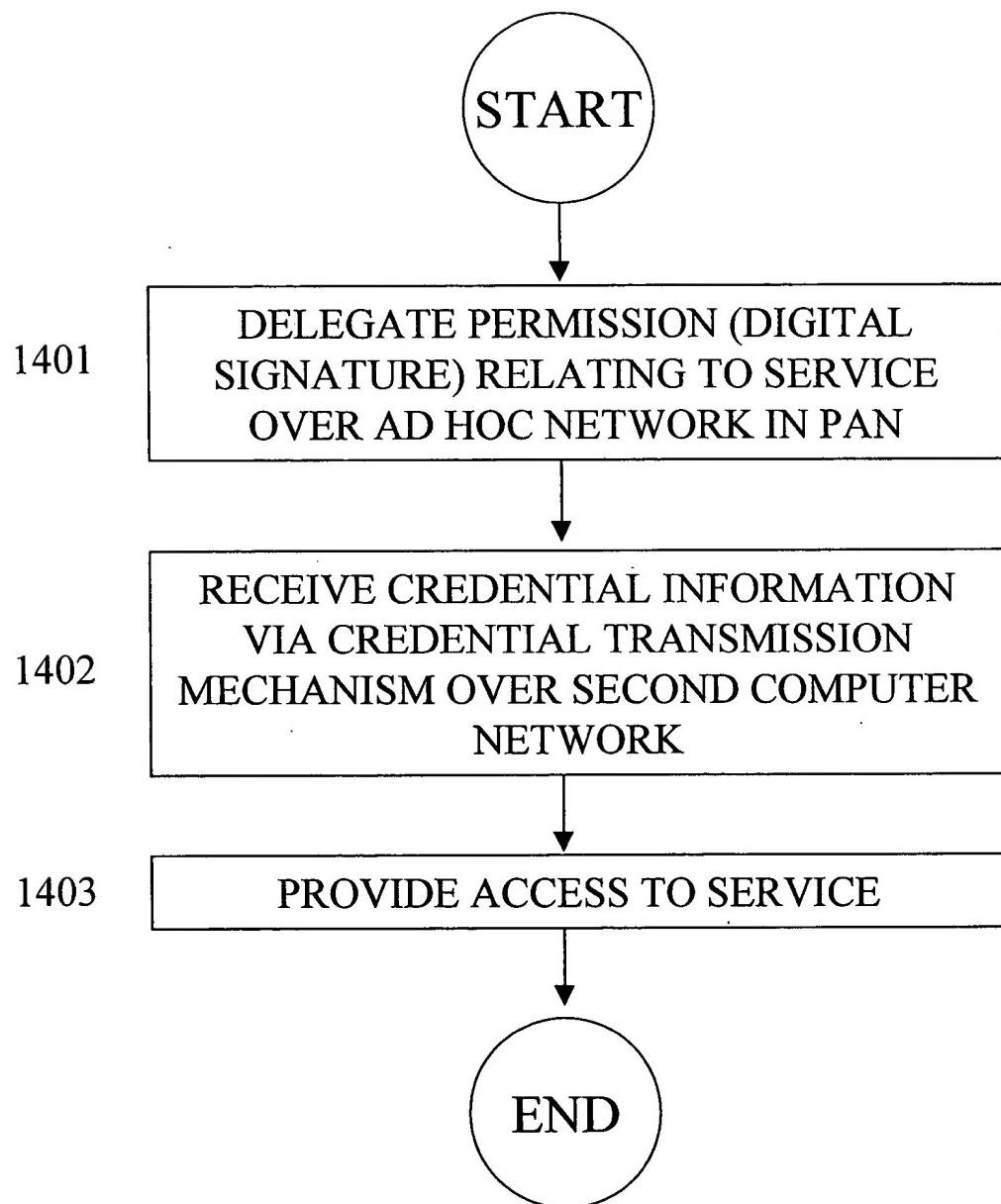


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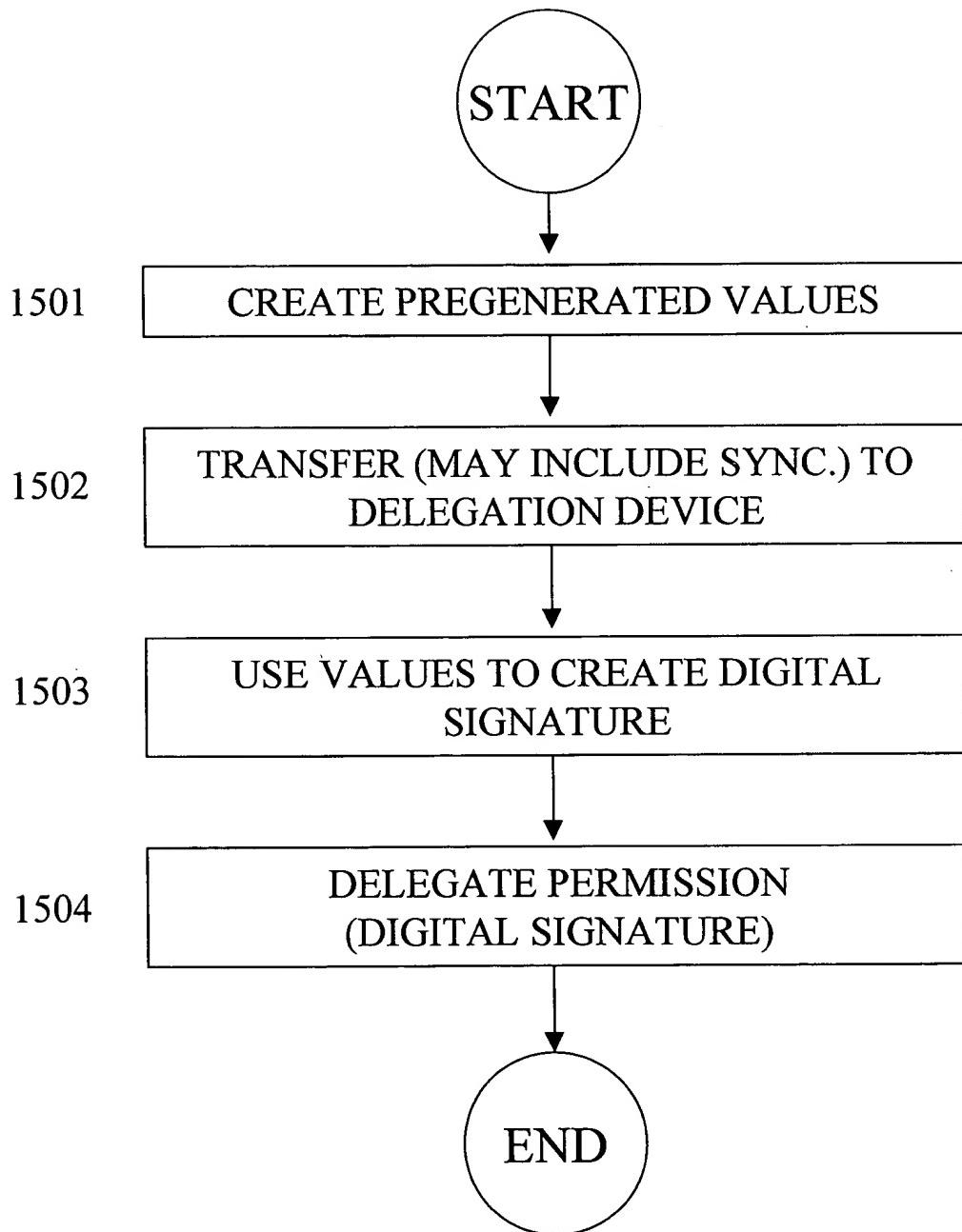


Fig. 16

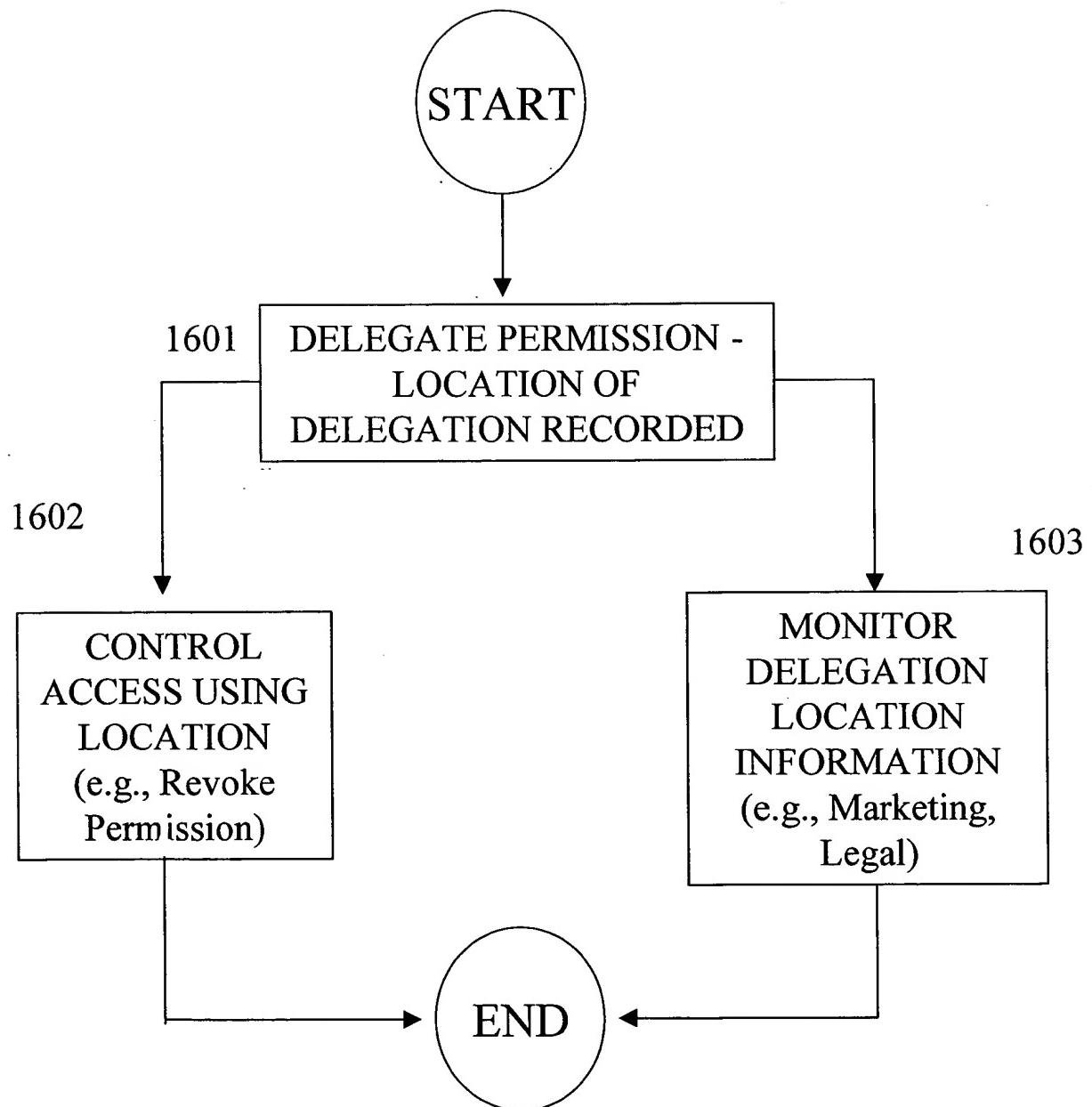


Fig. 17

